



Attorney Docket No. 1185.1044

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:

Shingo OHKAWA

Application No.: 09/273,448

Group Art Unit: 2871

Filed: March 22, 1999

Examiner: Ngo, Huyen Le

For: SURFACE LIGHT SOURCE DEVICE OF SIDE LIGHT TYPE AND LIQUID CRYSTAL  
DISPLAY

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**Attention: After Final**

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed  
May 16, 2003 finally rejecting claims 13-22 and 25.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. EXTENSION OF TIME PETITION AND FEE

☒ Attached is a petition for a three-month extension of  
time for reply to the final rejection. \$ 950.00

2. APPEAL FEE

☒ Other than a small entity 330.00

**TOTAL FEE \$ 1,280.00**

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3. PAYMENT


X Check attached for the total fee of \$ 1,280.00.

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Respectfully submitted,

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